

## House Resolution No. 4154

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State couples who have admirably demonstrated the strength, depth, and vitality of their love through the longevity of their marital vows; and

**Whereas**, sixty-five years ago Buel C. McCain took the lovely hand of his beautiful bride, the former Golda Simmons, as the two pledged their troth during a solemn wedding ceremony which was performed on August 10, 1940, in Marshall by a justice of the peace; and

**Whereas**, five decades later Buel and Golda McCain of Urbana renewed their wedding vows on their Fiftieth Anniversary in a ceremony at Olive Point Baptist Church of Preston where they are members; and

**Whereas**, the marital union of Buel and Golda McCain has been richly blessed down through the years with the love and affection of their children, Duane and Loris McCain of Kansas City, Velva and George Zvirgzdins of Florissant, David McCain of Excelsior Springs, and Donald and Sharon McCain of Florissant; ten grandchildren; and eleven great-grandchildren; and

**Whereas**, Buel McCain is a retired Quality Control Inspector who enjoys fishing, bowling, and gardening; and

**Whereas**, Golda McCain is retired from Hallmark of Liberty, joins her husband in his avocational pursuits, and also enjoys flower gardening and crocheting; and

**Whereas**, Buel and Golda McCain used the occasion of their Sixty-fifth Wedding Anniversary to reflect on the many changes which have occurred in their lives, in society, and around the world since the blessed day they became husband and wife; and

**Whereas**, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives pauses in its diverse daily activities in order to recognize such stellar citizens as Buel and Golda McCain during momentous times in their lives:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive marriage engaged in by Buel and Golda McCain and to convey to them this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and our best wishes as they celebrate their Sixty-fifth Wedding Anniversary; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Buel and Golda McCain of Urbana, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Larry D. Wilson  
District No. 119

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 4154, adopted August 9, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker